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A JOINT MEMORIAL

URGING THE GOVERNOR TO DIRECT THE HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT TO
ADOPT REGULATIONS PROHIBITING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FOR
LATE-TERM ABORTIONS USING THE PROCEDURE OF PARTIAL-BIRTH
ABORTION.

WHEREAS, abortions are performed late in the second and
in the third trimesters of a woman's pregnancy; and

WHEREAS, these procedures are known to have potentially
serious consequences to the mother; and

WHEREAS, a part of these late-term abortions are
performed using a procedure called "partial-birth abortion" in
which a baby is partially delivered and then killed, after
which the head of the dead baby is subsequently removed from
the mother's body in a manner potentially injurious to the
mother; and

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